

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) **TRANSMITTAL**

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

Application Number	10/735,613				
Filing Date*	December 16, 2003				
First Named Inventor	Shigeo FUKUDA				
Group Art Unit	2775				
Examiner Name	S. A. Resan				
Attorney Docket No.	FUKU3001/REF				

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application. NOTE: * Filing date must be on or after June 8, 1995; but if before May 29, 2000, then consider a CPA.

1.	1. Please consider the following as the required submission under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:												
	⊠	a.	a. The Amendment/Reply filed on (date): concurrently herewith										
		b.	The Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed on (date):										
		c.	The arguments in the Brief/Reply Brief filed on (date):										
		d.	The page(s) of Form PTO-1449 and copy of each listed document filed (date):										
		e.	Other	ther:									
	2.	Α	month Petition for Extension of Time is filed herewith.										
Ø	3.	 The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 02-0200. 											
⊠	4.	A check in the amount of \$_405.00_ is submitted herewith.											
	5. This Request is transmitted by facsimile to number (703)												
⊠ 6. Other: Explanatory Figure 1													
THE RCE FEE IS CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS: Basic Fee:										\$810.00			
Total Claims: 4			4	-	20	(highest number previously paid for) =				X \$50 =			
Independent Claims: 2				2	-	3	(highest number previously paid for) =				X \$210 =		
Correspondence Address: Multiple Dependent Claim (add \$360.00):										Claim (add \$360.00):			
23364 Customer Number									Subtotal:	\$810.00			
50% Reduction if Small Entity Status:									Small Entity Status:	405.00			
Phone: 703-683-0500 Fax: 703-683-1080								Total:	\$405.00				
Date:					Name:				Si	Reg. No.			
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